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REPORT OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF THE TROPICO PLAYGROUND ASSOCIATION

Tropico, Calif., October 25, 1915

The Tropico Public Playground Association has built and equipped a first class public playground of two and a half acres, located on San Fernando Blvd., between Park Ave. and Cypress St.

The playground contains a safe and comfortable grandstand and bleachers, seating over four hundred persons, adequate dressing rooms and lockers, toilets, shower baths, sanitary drinking fountain, a baseball diamond, basket ball and tennis courts, all with excellent iron and wire backstops, 220-yard banked race course, croquet and quoit courts, vaulting poles and jumping bars, etc. Also a sand pile with pergola, teeters, slide and swings for younger children. Necessary balls, bats, foot, basket and field balls, tennis and croquet outfits, rollers, scrapers, tools, etc., for proper use and care of courts and fields are provided.

A competent and experienced playground manager is in constant attendance. Police and sanitary supervision are strictly maintained.

The grounds are marked by a sign at the entrance and a steel pole and flag within, and are surprisingly well patronized by both children and adults. It is not at all uncommon to find from eighty to a hundred persons on the grounds and special days any place from three to five hundred.

The playground at the present time is well equipped, the only items lacking to make it entire adequate are an additional tennis court, two croquet courts and possibly a handball court. All these shortages the association hopes to install in the near future.

A detailed report of expense of construction and maintenance receipts follows:

RECEIPTS

| Labor and Supplies—Donated: | |
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| F. B. McKenny & Sons, hardware | \$ 10.00 |
| O. P. Martin, hardware | 10.00 |
| C. S. Hunter, plumbing and labor | 10.00 |
| C. L. Jennings, mowing and plowing | 10.00 |
| F. V. Ashton, surveying | 10.00 |
| Frank E. Moore, carpenter work | 15.00 |
| Fred Speer, carpenter work | 5.00 |
| J. S. Ripley, labor | 1.75 |
| A. T. Davis, labor | 2.00 |
| Sam Rich, labor | 2.00 |
| Francis Bacon, labor | 5.00 |
| Albert Gabing, labor | 2.00 |
| W. E. Edwards, hauling | 3.50 |
| H. A. Jennings, blacksmithing | 3.50 |
| Frank Edwards, teaming | 1.00 |
| A. P. Werve, machine work | .50 |
| W. E. Anderson, machine work | 3.00 |
| W. C. Mabry, tennis supplies | 5.00 |
| A. J. Van Wie, printing | 1.30 |
| Tropico-Glendale Lumber Co., lumber | 5.00 |
| Pacific Home Builders, lumber | 11.50 |
| McCombs & Burke, grading | 5.00 |
| Peter L. Ferry, steam roller | 10.00 |
| Don Erskine, sign painting | 5.00 |
| Mat O'Brien, sign painting | 5.00 |
| Regina Bacon, 45 days manager playground | 45.00 |
| Tropico Water Co., water rent | 6.25 |
| Total | \$189.30 |

| Cash Donations: | |
|------------------------------------|----------|
| Board of Trustees, City of Tropico | \$ 50.00 |
| Tropico Chamber of Commerce | 25.00 |
| Tropico School Board | 26.60 |
| Forest Lawn Cemetery, by Mr. Wells | 10.00 |
| L. A. Baskett Co., by Mr. Paine | 10.00 |
| A. G. Stepper | 10.00 |
| Bert Richardson | 15.00 |
| Wesley Bullis | 5.00 |
| Daniel Webster | 5.00 |
| Scovern-Petton-Frey | 5.00 |
| Wm. H. La Fountain | 6.00 |
| Seeley B. Moe | 5.00 |
| W. G. Black | 5.00 |
| Dr. A. O. Conrad | 5.00 |
| Dr. A. M. Duncan | 5.00 |
| Davis & Coffey Grocery Co. | 5.00 |
| First National Bank of Tropico | 5.00 |
| Mrs. E. H. Harvey | 5.00 |
| Chas. S. Hunter | 5.00 |
| Mrs. E. Richardson | 5.00 |
| Tropico Mercantile Co. | 5.00 |
| Mr. and Mrs. Chas. M. Turek | 2.00 |
| G. F. Franceton X Co. | 2.00 |

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| Robinson Bros., Grocery | 2.00 |
| Thornycroft Farm | 2.00 |
| W. E. Anderson | 2.00 |
| B. Collins | 2.50 |
| Emile Moniot | 2.00 |
| Harriet Meyers | 1.00 |
| A. J. Smith | 1.00 |
| R. M. Saunders | 1.00 |
| Arthur Campbell | 1.00 |
| Clyde Thedaker | 1.00 |
| C. C. Tatum | 1.00 |
| Jos. V. Griffin | 1.00 |
| Mrs. Chas. Burnham | 1.00 |
| P. J. Priaulx | 1.00 |
| Mrs. Louise M. Westlake | 1.00 |
| J. P. Alexander | 1.00 |
| Ashton's Bakery | 1.00 |
| Francis Bacon | 1.00 |
| Leigh Bancroft | 1.00 |
| Mrs. C. A. Barker | 1.00 |
| Raymond Barker | 1.00 |
| E. J. Bennett | 1.00 |
| H. G. Bradford | 1.00 |
| Mrs. S. E. Brown | 1.00 |
| Mary Chadwick | 1.00 |
| Mr. Fram | 1.00 |
| Mrs. Claudia Griswold | 1.00 |
| Mrs. Dwight Griswold | 1.00 |
| Y. Goto Nursery | 1.00 |
| W. E. Heald | 1.00 |
| Mrs. W. H. Hillman | 1.00 |
| Mrs. H. E. Hoffer | 1.00 |
| Mrs. D. H. Imler | 1.00 |
| Mrs. C. Lake | 1.00 |
| Mrs. E. Martin | 1.00 |
| Mrs. Herman Melrose | 1.00 |
| Mrs. Ed. Moniot | 1.00 |
| Louise Purnell | 1.00 |
| Ida D. Meyers | 1.00 |
| Mrs. B. May Oliver | 1.00 |
| J. P. Scott | 1.00 |
| Ellen G. Scott | 1.00 |
| Mrs. C. H. Schew | 1.00 |
| Mrs. J. Seaman | 1.00 |
| Al E. M. Shipman | 1.00 |
| Al Vaulet | 1.00 |
| Mrs. E. Virden | 1.00 |
| Wm. Wiblitz | 1.00 |
| E. R. Best | .50 |
| Frank Booth | .50 |
| Mrs. M. Bowers | .50 |
| Anonymous or source not recorded | 12.84 |
| Total | \$292.24 |

| Various Enterprises: | |
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| May 12, 1915, Pencil Sale | \$ 36.45 |
| May 17, 1915, Opening Day Supper | 72.71 |
| W. R. C. Corps, for flag | 5.00 |
| June 26, Picture Show | 15.10 |
| July 3, Thursday Afternoon Club | 30.00 |
| August 12, Dance | 8.50 |
| August 31, Dance | 12.00 |
| October 18, Pencil Sale | 11.50 |
| June to October, Profits Stand at Playground, Candy Sale, Etc. | 17.90 |
| Total | \$209.16 |

| Grand Total: | |
|------------------------------|----------|
| Donations Labor and Supplies | \$189.30 |
| Cash | 292.24 |
| Various Enterprises | 209.16 |
| Total | \$690.70 |

EXPENDITURES

| Labor and Supplies Donated (see previous list) | |
|---|----------|
| Cash Payments covered by receipts and vouchers as numbered: | \$189.30 |
| F. B. McKenny & Sons, hardware and supplies, No. 1 | \$ 45.89 |
| F. B. McKenny & Sons, hardware and supplies, No. 2 | 4.05 |
| F. B. McKenny & Sons, hardware and supplies, No. 3 | 1.25 |
| O. P. Martin, hardware and supplies, No. 4 | 42.92 |
| O. P. Martin, hardware and supplies, No. 5 | 1.35 |
| O. P. Martin, hardware and supplies, No. 6 | 28.50 |
| C. S. Hunter, plumbing and pipe work, No. 7 | 49.20 |
| C. S. Hunter, plumbing and pipe work, No. 8 | 10.25 |
| Tropico-Glendale Lumber Co., lumber and cement, No. 9 | 148.59 |
| Tropico-Glendale Lumber Co., lumber and cement, No. 10 | 7.20 |
| Lichfield Lumber Co., cement, No. 11 | 3.23 |
| J. S. Ripley, labor, No. 12 | 15.75 |
| C. L. Jennings, labor, No. 13 | 5.00 |
| Burke & McCombs, grading | |

Take Notice

To All Parties Owning Dogs Who Have Failed To Secure a License

You are hereby notified that if you fail to secure a license for dogs from the City Clerk before November 25, 1915, it shall become the duty of the City Marshal to arrest and prosecute all such delinquents in accordance with ordinance regulating same.

J. W. Gould, City Marshal

PARENT-TEACHER ASSOCIATION HOLDS INTERESTING MEETING

Tropico Parent-Teacher Association gave a most enjoyable reception to the teachers of Tropico, Magnolia, Acacia and Park Avenue schools at the Tropico school, Thursday evening. The rooms were tastefully decorated with flowers, flags, palms and plants. There was an excellent orchestra consisting of Miss Bacon, Kermit Weeks, Mr. Mentelm, Mr. Aston, Dr. Lucas and Mrs. McAdams. Mrs. Moore pleased the gathering with her dialect selections; Mr. Fredericks rendered in excellent style two vocal selections and a duet by Mrs. Griswold and Mrs. Ludlum was very pleasing. Refreshments were served by the committee. The next regular meeting of the Parent-Teacher Association will be held on the second Thursday in November.

| TRIAL BALANCE | |
|---|----------|
| Expenditures as noted | \$804.53 |
| Receipts as noted | 690.70 |
| Deficit | \$113.83 |
| The Playground Association earnestly requests that public-spirited citizens immediately contribute to wipe out this debt of \$113.83 and provide funds for the additional courts needed. Contributions should be directed to either Mrs. E. V. Bacon, president; Mrs. C. K. Lake, secretary; John A. Logan, treasurer, or Dr. Wm. C. Mabry, superintendent. | |
| Respectfully submitted, | |
| MRS. E. V. BACON, President; | |
| MRS. C. K. LAKE, Secretary; | |
| Tropico Public Playground Association | |

BOARD OF TRUSTEES MEET IN REGULAR WEEKLY SESSION

All members present. Application of Frances Howe for permit to keep domestic animals was approved. Request from Mr. Sanders for others to remove trees in front of their property on Acacia avenue was granted. City engineer reported that frontage protesting improvement on Moore avenue was less than majority. Report was filed. He stated that the proposed work would, if gone through with, be paid by an assessment district and the estimated cost would be about 50 per cent less than that objected to on the petition. Health officer reported that he had inspected dairies in surrounding territory and found milk tests satisfactory, but had reproved some in regard to sanitation. Upon motion, a shack at corner of San Fernando road and Victor court was condemned and ordered torn down. Street superintendent and health officer instructed to order lots cleaned of rubbish in northwest part of city.

BAND BOYS GETTING IN SHAPE TO FURNISH GOOD MUSIC

At the last meeting of the boys interested Tropico's band became a reality and 15 have so far signified their intentions to help. Robt. Daner was chosen temporary manager and the services of Geo. Isbell, leader of the McKinley Home band of Los Angeles, was chosen to put the band on its feet. The boys are very enthusiastic and are going to do all in their power to shape things so that next summer we can listen to concerts.

They are not going to call upon anyone for financial help if possible, but are asking all who are interested to become members whether they can play or not. Especially are they desirous of securing bass and baritone players. Mr. Isbell will give private lessons to all who need help at a low cost. First rehearsal will be Friday evening at the K. P. Hall. The organization of a band means that some place will have to be provided for a bandstand. How about that city park we have been talking about for some time? Pretty good time now to make it a reality.

Harris Roake sustained a painful injury when he broke his wrist recently while cranking his automobile.

TROPICO CHAMBER OF COMMERCE HOLD TWO MEETINGS TO DISCUSS ENTERING A FLOAT

At the last regular meeting of the Tropico Chamber of Commerce the committee on the opening of Brand boulevard across the Southern Pacific tracks reported progress. The matter has been taken up by the city council before the Railway Commission and will be up for hearing at the city hall, Nov. 5, at 10 a. m. In securing this right of way every barrier will have been removed for a straight away road across the proposed bridge across the river at Ivanhoe. Actual work will commence upon this structure in January and street work is being pushed through.

Fifth Vice-President F. D. Silvius, with his committee, are arranging a banquet to be given when the Brand boulevard work is commenced.

Committee on Wood Mfg. Co. project reported the inability to secure the needed funds and upon motion were discharged. Special float committee presented plans for a float to be entered in the Pasadena Rose festival and after some discussion the matter was laid over for one week at which time further consideration was taken up. The plan as outlined reaches some proportions and would require a

great deal of work which naturally falls upon one or two and it was a question as to whether the plan was worth the trouble. The float as outlined would be a garden or arbor of Grecian or Roman architecture with a fountain and seat upon which would ride the Goddess of Roses, accompanied by her court, all dressed in the period represented. At the pillars of the arbor massive boughs of la France roses, grown under hot house force, would carry out the color scheme of the float. The float, upon a truck, would seemingly be drawn by the members of the Chamber on foot by scarlet ropes. It was the aim of the committee to have at least 100 men dressed in white suits in this part. Surrounding the float and Chamber would be a large number of outriders dressed to conform with the period of the float.

The bigness of this project is a staggerer, but the committee feels confident of being able to carry it out, and the prizes offered are an incentive to go ahead. The advertising gained at our last victory with a float puts untold confidence in the hearts of those interested and nothing but success can be seen now.

NOVEMBER 25 NAMED AS THE DAY ON WHICH TO GIVE THANKS

A proclamation designating Thursday, November 25, as Thanksgiving Day was issued here today by President Woodrow Wilson. It said: "It long has been our honored custom as a nation in the fruitful autumn to offer praise and thanksgiving to Almighty God for his blessings and mercies. The year is drawing to a close. Since last Thanksgiving there has been a year of discipline because of the mighty war, but it has been a year of special blessing to us.

"Another year of peace is vouchsafed for us, another year which not only takes thought as to our duty to ourselves and mankind, but also to adjust ourselves to the responsibilities which war brings. We are able to assert our right without a breach of friendship with other nations. While asserting our rights we also have performed our duties and exercised the privileges of success and helpfulness and demonstrated the desire to make our friendship disinterested and unselfish.

"Abundant crops has helped us greatly. Our financial strength has kept the world's markets steady and our people have come more and more to a sober realization of the part they have been called upon to play at a time when all the world is shaken by unparalleled distresses and disasters.

"Therefore, I, as President, designate the 25th day of November as a day of thanksgiving and prayer and invite the people to cease their occupations and worship and thank God.

"In witness whereof I hereby affix my hand and seal."

VAIL-DOW WEDDING

At the home of the bride's father, Mr. Oliver H. Dow, 520 La Bree Court, Tropico, Mr. Atlee G. Vail of New York and Miss Helen L. Dow were joined in matrimony by the Rev. C. Irving Mills, D.D., rector of St. Mark's Episcopal Church, Glendale, Thursday. Only relatives of the couple were present and after a wedding dinner the young people started on a trip to New York.

Last Sunday's ball game with the Chino Cubs was some game. The score resulted in 9 to 6 in favor of Tropico. Next Sunday the boys will show the colored Los Angeles police how the game is played.

"PRISON REFORMS" DISCUSSED AT THURSDAY AFTERNOON CLUB

The Tropico Thursday Afternoon Club held its regular meeting Oct. 21 at the G. A. R. Hall, which was prettily decorated with flowers.

Some business was brought before the club and it was decided to invite the Tuesday Afternoon Club to attend the next meeting, Nov. 4, when Mrs. R. J. Sterrett, state chairman of education, will speak on "One Step in the Americanization of the Immigrant." The president urged the members to use their guest cards so that a large number of ladies may have the privilege of hearing this interesting speaker.

The ladies appointed as chairman of the different departments of the Christmas Shop, to be held Dec. 2, are: Cafeteria dinner, Mrs. Hal Davenport and Mrs. J. Herbert Smith; fancy work, Miss Ida D. Myers; candy, Mrs. Dwight Griswold; fortune telling, Miss May Cornwell; grab-bag, Miss Elsie Anderson, and cook book, Mrs. Edwin Virden.

After the business session, Mrs. Chas. Stewart delighted the club with two vocal selections. Following these Mrs. Charles A. Barker, president of the club, introduced the speaker of the afternoon, Mrs. L. A. Gould, who is a member of the Ethel and Badger clubs. Her subject was Prison Reforms, and she said that there must be more measures taken to prevent crime and that there is need of reform in the administration of laws.

Too often the old Roman law is the one in force—guilty until proven innocent. Punishment should not embitter and antagonize, but be made a benefit to the guilty person. The municipal farm, she said, with its opportunity to learn something useful and live in the open, was a great forward movement, and she urged the club women to work for a municipal home for girls. An interesting discussion followed the talk and Mrs. Chas. Stewart sang another selection. At the close of the program, a social hour was enjoyed and coffee and delicious sandwiches were served by the hostesses of the afternoon, Mmes. Leigh Bancroft, Charles A. Barker, H. E. Bowman and Miss May Cornwell.

Word from Thornycroft, where Mrs. Geo. Tauxe gave birth to a lovely baby girl Sunday week, states that she is now out of danger and that baby is doing nicely.

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Rev. O. P. Rider, Minister, residence 208 East Acacia, Tropic. Phone: Glendale 351M.

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CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCH

Glendale. Services in the Masonic Hall on Brand Boulevard. Sunday, 11 a. m.; Wednesday, 8 p. m. Sunday School, 9:30 a. m. Reading room, Parker & Sternberg Bldg., 415 1/2 Brand Blvd., open daily from 12 to 4 p. m.

A FREE READING ROOM

Is maintained by First Church of Christ, Scientist, of Glendale, at 415 1/2 Brand Blvd., and is open daily except Sundays and holidays from 12 m. to 4 p. m. The Bible and all authorized Christian Science literature may be read or purchased in this room. The public is cordially invited to visit the reading-room.

HOLY FAMILY, 311 W. Lomita

Ave., Glendale—Rev. Jas S. O'Neil

rector. Holy mass on Sundays at 8 and 10:30. Sunday school at 9 o'clock. Baptisms at 2 p. m. Week day mass at 7:30 p. m.

Two Potent Factors.

Half the world's trouble comes of too much wild talk and too little sane action.—Albany Journal.

Serving a
Summons

By RYLAND BELL

Ned and Frank Whittlesey, brothers, inherited an estate jointly. Ned, a young army officer, was a spendthrift and soon got the estate tangled up.

After a consultation with their attorney a plan was proposed by which Ned should assume certain liabilities which would force the creditors to get service on him in order to commence a suit. As soon as the papers were executed Ned went into hiding in order that such service could not be obtained, the object being to delay judgment and execution while efforts were being made to turn certain portions of the estate into money with which to save the rest.

It was not long before the creditors' attorneys got on to the game, and a number of detectives were employed to hunt up the young officer. He had hunted Indians so long and had learned from them so many stratagems that he was far better equipped for the work in hand than one would suppose. The trouble was that it was impossible for him to keep himself shut up. For one who had roamed on the western plains to remain within four walls was out of the question. However, since the saving of a fortune depended on taking great care to keep away from the bailiffs, he consented to abide in a house in the country secured for the purpose.

For a few days the young cavalryman busied himself in a library there was at hand; but, tiring of this, he asked for a horse that he might occasionally ride in the open. The attorney sent him the swiftest animal they could find. Just before the first ride he took he sent a man out to scan the surroundings for process servers. None appearing, Ned mounted his horse and started. A man suddenly appeared in the road before him, throwing up his arms to stop the horse. But Ned gave the animal the spurs and had the man not jumped aside would have run him down. As it was, he escaped before the man could read a word of the summons. But Ned did not think it prudent to return till after nightfall.

A few days later while Ned was sitting at a desk before a window on the ground floor writing a letter a head bobbed up on the other side of the window, and a man began to read a summons. Ned kept a small revolver in his pocket for emergency use and, drawing it, began to put a shower of bullets in a circle about the fellow's head. The process server ducked and beat a retreat.

It occurred to Lieutenant Whittlesey that he had laid himself liable to arrest and had better change his location. He sent his orderly, whom he had with him, to his brother with a suggestion that he provide another hiding place for him and, leaving his present quarters, bivouacked that night in a wood. The next day his orderly returned to him with instructions as to a new abode, which was easily obtained, for the Whittlesey estate consisted of a number of houses, several of which were vacant. The one now provided for him was furnished. He was comfortable there, and all might have gone well could he have been satisfied to remain for a short time a prisoner. But he insisted on riding out every day, and the bailiffs got on to him.

One morning Whittlesey was standing by a window shaving when he heard a series of shrieks in the yard beneath him. Throwing up the window and looking out, he saw a young woman struggling with several men. The window was not over ten feet from the ground, and Whittlesey, in shirt and trousers, one half his face gathered, the other clean shaved, jumped down among the trio. He knocked one man down. The other pulled a summons from his coat pocket, but before he could begin to read it Whittlesey dropped him. The woman broke into a laugh, and Ned beat a hasty retreat.

The lawyers sent him word that if he could avoid the bailiffs three days longer they would have carried through a sale which would relieve the situation. Ned solemnly resolved that he would keep within doors and risk nothing.

On the third day he was sitting in a room on the second floor—he would not go any lower for fear of being surprised—when he heard something drop. Without an open window stood a tree, a limb of which grew to within a few feet of the opening. Turning his head, Ned saw that a woman had sprung from this limb into the room. Ned sat for a moment, so astonished that the intruder got ahead of him. Like a flash she passed to the door, locked it and threw the key out through the window.

Ned saw that the game was up. The girl—for such she was, and comely, too—began to read a summons to him and, being too gallant toward her sex to stop her by violent means, he was compelled to listen.

However, he called for assistance and had the girl shut up in a room by herself till the next day, when his brother appeared and announced that the sale had been completed and the property was saved.

When Whittlesey returned to his command he narrated his experience to his brother officers, ending with these words: "Talk about Indian stratagems! If I ever command the army I'll supply every regiment out here with one or more process servers."

A Notary's
Discomfiture

By DWIGHT NORWOOD

Many years ago in the city of Rheims, in France, which has of late been the scene of fighting between the French and the Germans, there lived an old notary. In France a notary is a lawyer, but in the olden time a lawyer was not of much more importance so far as his work was concerned than a notary is with us today. Jules Farlieux, the notary of Rheims, had accumulated some 50,000 francs, which had come to him through small fees. This sum—\$10,000 in our money—was quite a fortune in those days, especially in France, where everything was very cheap and one could live comfortably on a small income.

The old man had one child, a daughter, Delphine, to whom he expected to leave his property, and it was his expectation that she should marry a man having at least an equal amount. What was his chagrin, therefore, when he learned that she had fallen in love with Alphonse Du Bois, a young fellow who had just been graduated from a law school in Paris and settled in Rheims to practice his profession without a son to his name. The notary simply forbade his daughter to have anything to do with the man.

One day three men came into Jules Farlieux's office, and after asking if and being assured that he was the "distinguished notary" with whom so many persons trusted their affairs and their moneys they asked him to take care of 100,000 francs in gold which was theirs jointly. Jules accepted the trust, it being agreed that he should deduct 5 per cent of the amount when the money was returned. He was then asked to draw up a contract to that effect, in which he stipulated to pay over the money to the three men together and not to any one or two of them separately. The contract having been signed, the men departed, leaving the gold on a table. As the notary was gathering it up to put in his strong box one of the men returned, saying he had been deputed by the others to count the money before it was put away. While he was doing so a stranger came hurriedly into the office and, after taking the notary into a rear room, asked him some questions concerning a matter which he seemed to consider of immediate importance. The notary tried to get away from him, but found it impossible. When he was permitted to return to the other room both the money and the man who had been counting it were gone.

Farlieux found himself in a very unpleasant position. He had received for 100,000 francs which he was to pay to the three owners together. One of them had taken the amount, and the notary would be obliged to indemnify the others, which would require nearly double all he possessed. He heard nothing from any of the men for a month; then one morning the two who had lost their share came to him and demanded it.

The notary believed that the men had conspired to swindle him, but unless he could prove this he had no hope of saving the little fortune he had been a lifetime in accumulating and which was to go to his daughter for a dowry. He made every effort to prove that the men were dishonest and in collusion, but was not able to do so.

After a formal demand for their money the two men put the case in the courts, and a day was set for trial. Alphonse Du Bois learned of the case from his sweetheart, Louise, and the probable loss of her dowry. He told her to say to her father that he would save him from the swindle if he would consent to his marriage with her. Louise gave the old man the message and it made him very angry.

"What!" he exclaimed. "Does this popinjay who has no experience in the law propose to do what I, who have been a notary for forty years, cannot do?"

Louise argued with her father, saying that nothing would be lost by permitting Alphonse to take the case and something might be gained. Since the old man's principal grief was that she would be deprived of her dowry, she finally won him over, but not until the case had been called in court, and if any defense was to be put in it must be done at once. Then the notary, who could see no possible excuse under the contract to avoid indemnifying the plaintiffs, agreed that in case Du Bois saved his fortune it should go to Louise as his bride.

The young lawyer arose in court and called for a reading of the contract. When the reader came to the words, "And the said Farlieux shall pay to the said depositors together and to no one or two separately the sum of 100,000 francs," Du Bois stopped him and said:

"Your honor, my client is ready to pay the 100,000 francs specified under the contract to the three depositors together, but is prohibited by the contract from paying the money to two of them separately."

The judge dismissed the case, for the moment the third man who had gone off with the funds should appear he would be arrested, and the notary need not pay till he was present.

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Rev. and Mrs. O. P. Rider attended the Presbyterian Synod at San Diego last week.

Will Richardson, who has been attending school in the east for the past two years, arrived home this week.

Mrs. J. W. Allen, nee Benlah Johnson, whose marriage took place some weeks ago, is visiting friends and relatives in Tropico for a few days.

The Halloween dance announced to be given under the auspices of the Tropico Thursday Afternoon Club, has been indefinitely postponed.

For ambulance service call Glendale 143--both phones. Scovern, Letten, Frey Co., corner Brand and Acacia, Tropico.

Members of the Acacia Avenue Parent-Teachers' Association, met at the home of Mrs. Wm. Todd Wednesday afternoon for a sewing bee. The proceeds from these affairs will be used to purchase a phonograph for the school.

Through the efforts of the Valley Horticultural society the various organizations of Tropico and Glendale have secured Geo. Maxwell, who will give an illustrated lecture on beautifying city lots, at the high school November 18. Preparations are being made to secure prizes to be offered to schools, etc., for beautifying with flowers and shrubbery the grounds and vacant lots. All persons having bulbs or seeds or those desiring same are requested to notify Mrs. Nanno Woods, 1111 West Broadway; telephone Glendale 1357.

On November 2, at 7 P. M., a meeting will be held in the church of the Brethren, corner Park and Glendale avenues, Tropico, with the view of studying the Holy Spirit in the Old Testament. The lessons in printed form and with questions and Bible references will be free to all. These studies can be taken home and the Scriptures searched for the answers, thus enabling students to do the preparatory work at home. The study of the work of the Holy Spirit is most fascinating when pursued unmixed by evils. No contentions, disagreements, debates, and variances desired. The Bible answers bring all the joys, so let Godly joys have the right of way. Mere notions, opinions, prejudices, and man-made conclusions are of no value when set up beside God's unvarying truth. Come, desiring truth fresh from the grace of God. All will be heartily welcome. Class will study each Tuesday and Thursday beginning at 7 P. M.

Some months ago a contest was inaugurated in the Epworth League of the First Methodist church. The young people took sides, one designating themselves as the Southern Pacific railroad under the captaincy of Miss Dora Hewitt, and the other side as the Santa Fe under the direction of Mrs. E. B. Moore. The object of the race was 2500 points to be gained, equivalent to 2500 miles to be traveled. New members, attendance and taking active part in devotional services were to count as points. Last week the goal was reached, the Santa Fe winning, their points having been gained principally by new members, while the S. P. made all their points by attendance and taking part in services. It has been decided that the defeated ones shall entertain the winners and the S. P.'s are planning something worth while, including a banquet, for the jubilant Santa Fe people.

TAXES ARE NOW PAYABLE

The first installment of county taxes became due and payable October 18th. They become delinquent the first Monday in December, the 6th, after which 15 per cent will be added.

NOTICE

Garbage will be collected on every Tuesday and Friday hereafter.

POULTRY BREEDERS TO HAVE AN EXHIBIT OF FOWLS SOON

Poultry breeders of both Tropico and Glendale are to have an opportunity to exhibit the results of their work during the past year. The Glendale-Tropico Poultry and Pet Stock association, at their recent meeting, Thursday, Oct. 21, completed arrangements for holding a show in the large garage on Broadway, near Glendale, Dec. 9-11 inclusive.

Great enthusiasm prevails among the members of the association and all are determined to make this the best local show that has ever been held in Southern California. The show will follow the annual Pasadena show and will just precede the Long Beach exhibition. San Fernando valley is full of fine poultry flocks. There are also many breeders who have made a specialty of pet stock and novelties. These should give variety to the show and attract attention.

Among the specialties to be exhibited are various beautifully colored pheasants, wild ducks, fancy Yorkshire canaries and a great variety of fancy pigeons. The inclusion of this fancy stock in the show will direct the attention of the whole of the breeders in Southern California to Glendale, and will enable this city to take its place in the very front as a center for fancy poultry.

By extending the field of the exhibition to Burbank and Eagle Rock the show will cover the most productive part of the valley and will include many of the best breeders in the vicinity of Glendale.

The committee has arranged a premium list for the show. This will be widely distributed. The committee of five, appointed at the last meeting to make arrangements for the show, will offer an attractive list of prizes, consisting of valuable cups, merchandise, etc.

It is especially desired that all connected with the association do their best to get out a large number of exhibitors. Glendale, Tropico and the surrounding neighborhood should be able to get out 500 specimens at least. There is going to be a very fine exhibition of bantams and this is certain to prove a special attraction.

Every assistance necessary for the getting out of a large exhibition of poultry will be given prospective exhibitors. They will be assisted in selecting their birds if they themselves have not sufficient experience in that field. Those desiring such assistance should communicate with Walter M. Ross, show superintendent and secretary, 422 Colorado boulevard, Glendale.

Eight special judges will be called in to pass upon the exhibition and will be tendered a banquet by the association. These judges, all well known in their particular lines are: Fred Espe, Jno. D. Mercer, J. L. Harrison, J. C. Williams, Harold Waltham, R. V. Moore and a special judge for cats.

At a meeting of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the Tropico Methodist Episcopal Church the following officers were elected for the year: Mrs. Henry Goodsell, president; Mrs. Desett, vice-president; Mrs. Dr. Lucas, secretary; Mrs. Lewis, corresponding secretary; Mrs. West, mite box secretary; Mrs. Phillips, treasurer. This society has been a great success the past year.

Mr. Albert Bright and wife of Mazepa, Minnesota, have been taking in the expositions of San Diego and San Francisco and making a general investigation of the financial and social conditions of California. Mr. Bright is a brother of Mrs. Henry Goodsell of Tropico; he is a well-to-do retired farmer and is looking out for future interests. Mr. Bright and wife spent a few days in Tropico looking over our beautiful city.

MEMORIES

The shades of night are falling;
The sun has gone to rest.
The crescent moon is setting
Away out in the West.

The nightingale is singing
So softly by its mate,
The watch-dog is barking
Outside the iron gate.

The stars are peeping brightly
Through the shady trees;
Hear the rustle of the leaves?
Hear the rustle of the leaves?

The water in the river
Is gliding softly by.
Oh what memories this night
Brings to you and I.

—Edith Lewis.

TROPICO CITY'S VOTE BONDS AND PROPOSED AMENDMENTS

| Precinct 1 | Yes | No | Precinct 2 | Yes | No |
|------------|-----|-----------|------------|-----|----|
| 1.....40 | 42 | 1.....43 | 60 | | |
| 2.....38 | 42 | 2.....42 | 59 | | |
| 3.....12 | 68 | 3.....22 | 76 | | |
| 4.....47 | 28 | 4.....68 | 20 | | |
| 5.....51 | 32 | 5.....57 | 44 | | |
| 6.....30 | 39 | 6.....43 | 53 | | |
| 7.....37 | 32 | 7.....55 | 43 | | |
| 8.....28 | 49 | 8.....38 | 60 | | |
| 9.....12 | 62 | 9.....13 | 85 | | |
| 10.....43 | 34 | 10.....51 | 52 | | |
| 11.....27 | 43 | 11.....35 | 56 | | |
| Bonds 23, | 63 | Bonds 29 | 74 | | |

BOOK ON SANITATION IS DONATED TO THE CITY LIBRARY

Of immense value to public health and sanitation is a volume of 450 pages just supplied to the public library of Tropico, and to the health officer of every incorporated city in his district by Congressman Charles H. Randall. It contains the municipal ordinances, rules and regulations pertaining to public health adopted by cities of the United States of over 10,000 population. The compilation was made by the United States Bureau of Public Health Service.

Citizens and physicians especially should interest themselves in this publication, to the end that the sanitation and health conservation of this city may follow the highest standards.

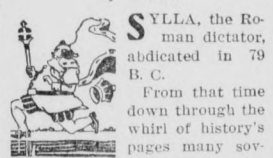
Unusual but timely regulations are found, for instance, in Hamilton, Ohio, where traveling shows are inspected by a health officer; Manila, P. I., relating to communicable diseases in public dance halls; Brockton, Mass., and other places, with reference to sanitary regulations for barbers and barber shops and their importance; Lowell, Mass., relating to ventilation, airing and regular disinfection of street cars.

The Epworth League Social of the Tropico M. E. Church, held at Social Hall Monday evening, was a great success. Mrs. E. B. Moore, assisted by Miss E. Baker, Ray Goodsell, Will Maple, Pleas Spear and Mr. Baker, turned the hall, by the aid of dry corn husks, hay and very wonderfully carved pumpkins, witch tents, ghost scenes, etc., into a haunted house, or at least a very weird hiding place for ghosts and many young people came dressed as spooks, hobgoblins and other grotesque characters. Miss Rickman, the ghost hostess, was a great success. A good crowd had a fine time.

COMMITTEE.

The King Is Fled! Long Live the King!

By MOSS.



SYLLA, the Roman dictator, abdicated in 79 B. C. From that time down through the whirl of history's pages many sovereigns have joined the DOWN and OUT CLUB. For instance, just to brush up your memory, Charles V. quit as emperor of Spain in 1555. King James II. of England fled in 1688, and Napoleon was tumbled off his pedestal in 1815. Some rulers went VOLUNTARILY; some were FORCED OUT.

ABDICATION generally COMES HARD. There's the case of HUERTA, for example. But the hardest monarch to eradicate is HABIT.

HABIT may be a GOOD ruler of one's life or the WORST possible.

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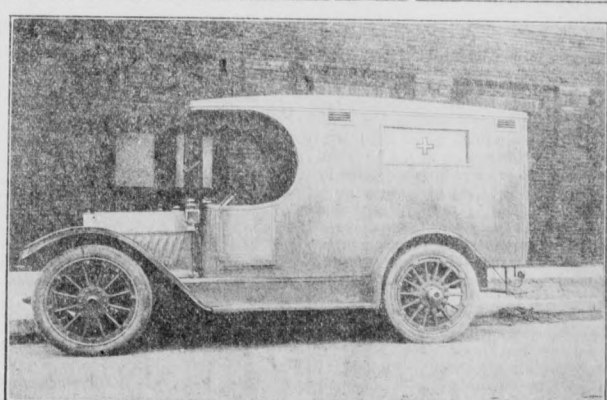
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The Force of Habit

By WILLIAM CHANDLER

Thompson was a very commonplace man, and it was difficult for his wife's friends to understand why she loved him so dearly. But an analysis of the heart is not like an analysis of the stomach—that is to say, love is very elusive. We constantly see persons devoted to other persons who are to us unattractive.

However this may be, Molly Thompson was devoted to Bill Thompson—there was not even a grain of romance in his name—and he was the apple of her eye. He was not a successful man, and his wife by various devices supported the family. Every man has some pride at the bottom of his nature, and Bill Thompson did not fancy his position of being taken care of instead of taking care of those naturally dependent upon him. Not that his wife upbraided him. Far from it; she excused him not only to others, but to himself.

One day Bill Thompson went out to look for a position, he said, and when the dinner hour arrived he did not arrive with it. Whatever were Bill's faults, he was never late for a meal. Consequently his wife took fright at once. Within an hour she notified the police that her husband was missing, and a general alarm was sent out.

The alarm did not bring Bill Thompson. A month passed, and he had failed to turn up. His wife was in a terrible state of mind about him, and her friends began to think that it would be better if her suspense were ended by hearing that he was dead. One day a cousin of hers, seeing an unrecognizable corpse in a morgue about the size of Bill Thompson, conceived the idea of palming it off on Mrs. Thompson as her late husband. The ruse was successful—indeed, more so than might have been expected—the good woman surprising those in the secret by identifying a patch she had put in the seat of the trousers worn by the corpse.

It was hoped by the widow's relatives that Bill, being dead, would be buried and Mrs. Thompson's mind relieved. They were somewhat disappointed when she insisted on having her dear William cremated in order that she might have the remains of what had been her husband constantly with her. The cremation cost all the money the poor woman possessed, and she had not the wherewithal to purchase an urn for the ashes. She determined to find a temporary receptacle till she might save enough for a befitting one. Unfortunately there was nothing at hand except a cracked soup tureen, which, though it would not retain soup, would do very well for ashes.

The remains of the late head of the house—or supposed head—were placed on a mantel in Mrs. Thompson's bedroom, and every night she wept herself to sleep, with her eyes fixed on their abiding place, lighted dimly by a night lamp. Since the support of the family was solely in her hands and she needed every cent she could earn to feed and clothe her children funds for the marble urn she intended burying were not forthcoming. Consequently the cracked soup tureen remained in use.

The widow, desirous of having flowers wave over her husband's ashes, put the tureen in a low box containing earth and introduced the plants. They flourished, and the good woman had the satisfaction of seeing them bloom. She said it was almost as satisfactory as if they moved over a grave.

In time Mrs. Thompson saved the money to purchase an urn, and the ashes were emptied from the tureen into it. It was of marble and of very attractive shape. For three years she devoted more care to it than to her house. Not a speck of dust was allowed to remain on it, and the plants amid which it rested were in perpetual bloom.

Then one fine morning this beautiful constancy of grief received a rude shock. Bill Thompson walked into the house in the flesh and with a prosperous look on him. His wife stood between him and the urn containing his ashes with a puzzled look on her face. She had for so long accustomed herself to think of him as in the urn that she could not realize he was there in the flesh. Bill in the urn was her romance; Bill in the flesh, unseen for three years, appeared to her, as he appeared to others, a very commonplace person. Duty finally triumphed, and, turning her back on the romance, she embraced the reality.

Thompson had gone away resolved never to return unless in a condition to support his family. He had accumulated quite a property. He desired his wife to remove the ashes she had been weeping over. But to do so was too severe a break in the habit she had acquired. She consented to the removal of the urn from their bedroom the first night Bill slept at home after his return, but her tears were so used to flowing at the retiring hour that they could not be stopped. Bill, hearing a sob, got out of bed, went to a closet where the urn had been placed and put it back on the mantel.

The next day it was removed again, but in the evening, the tears beginning to flow, it was replaced on its accustomed stand. Bill tried to cure his wife by affecting jealousy; but, fearing that if she were forced to choose between him and the ashes of his rival, she would choose the latter, he desisted. The urn remains on the mantel.

CLASSIFIED COLUMN

For Sale—Jewel gas range, \$5. Quartered oak dining table, \$11. Cupboard with glass doors, \$5. New iron beds, \$2.50. Trunk, \$2, and other bargains at Barager's Furniture Store, 215 So. San Fernando Blvd.

\$2500 will buy an exceptionally well built five-room house. Built-in features, beam ceilings, hardwood floors. \$1200 lot, 50x149. House completely furnished with splendid \$400 piano. Easily \$1000 under value. A great opportunity for some one who wants a home. \$1000 cash, and will take mortgage back for difference. Close to two car line stations. See owner at 441 Gardena avenue, Tropic.

WANTED—To rent furnished small bungalow. Not over \$18. W. C. Anderson, 607 Gardena Ave.

FOUND—Bunch of keys. Apply W. C. Anderson, 607 Gardena Ave.

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Every Friday evening from 8 to 11 p. m. Same hall. Admission, 50 cents; ladies free. Four piece orchestra.

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FOR SALE—Singer sewing machine in good order, \$5. 522 N. Glendale ave.

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An Exception.

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"I differ from you. Do you know anything as small as a cinder which can be so much in the public eye?"—Baltimore American.

Telling Eggs.

The problem of telling eggs is not an easy one by any means. Very few of us know how to do it properly. On the other hand, there are those who think they should not be told at all, but that is old fashioned nonsense, inspired entirely by false modesty. It is safe to say that eggs should be told at as early an age as possible consistent with their temperament. If allowed to go too long there is grave danger that the egg will become bad, and when an egg becomes bad it is hopeless. The world is full of bad eggs which might have been saved if they had been told in time.—Lippincott's.

NOTICE OF STREET WORK

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Board of Trustees of the City of Tropic, on the 21st day of September, 1915, did, at its meeting on said day adopt a Resolution of Intention No. 215, to order the following street work to be done, to-wit:

FIRST:

That the roadway of Tenth Street from the easterly line of Columbus Avenue to the westerly line of Central Avenue and that portion of Central Avenue lying between the easterly prolongation of the property lines of the above described portion of Tenth Street and between the westerly line of Central Avenue and a line drawn parallel to and twenty-five feet easterly from said line, excepting that portion included within the present curb returns, be graded and macadamized in accordance with plans, cross sections, profile and special specifications for the improvement of the roadway of a portion of Tenth Street and a portion of Central Avenue in the City of Tropic, which said plans, cross sections and profile and special specifications were duly adopted by resolution No. 214 of the Board of Trustees of said City.

SECTION 2.

All plans, profiles, cross sections and specifications referred to in this resolution are on file in the office of the City Engineer of said City; said plans, profiles, cross sections and special specifications are hereby referred to for a more particular description of said work and made a part hereof.

SECTION 3.

The Board of Trustees of the City of Tropic determines that serial bonds shall be issued to represent assessments of twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) or over for the cost of said work of improvement; said serial bonds shall extend over a period ending nine (9) years from and after the second day of January next succeeding the date of said bonds and an even annual proportion of the principal sum thereof shall be payable by coupon, on the second day of January every year after their date until the whole is paid; and the interest shall be payable, semi-annually, by coupon, on the second days of January and July, respectively, of each year, at the rate of seven (7) per cent per annum on all sums unpaid, until the whole of said principal and interest are paid. Said bonds shall be issued in accordance with the provisions of an Act of the Legislature of the State of California, entitled "An Act to provide a system of street improvement bonds for the cost of street work and improvement within municipalities, and also for the payment of such bonds," approved February 27, 1893, and of all acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

Reference is hereby made to said Resolution No. 215 for further particulars of said work.

I. C. WASSON,

Superintendent of Streets of the City of Tropic.

Dated, Oct. 26, 1915.

Long Time Finding It Out.

"We think we are smart," remarked the man on the car, "but it isn't true. Think of the years and years men pulled shirts on over their heads, and couldn't think of a better way."—Toledo Blade.

NOTICE OF ANNEXATION ELECTION

FOR THE ANNEXATION TO THE CITY OF LOS ANGELES OF CERTAIN TERRITORY DESIGNATED AS OCCIDENTAL.

WHEREAS, the Council of the City of Los Angeles has received a written petition asking that certain new territory contiguous to said City of Los Angeles be annexed to said City, which said territory is situated in the County of Los Angeles, State of California, and is more particularly described in said petition in the words and figures as hereinafter in this notice described; and

WHEREAS, the said Council of the said City of Los Angeles has found and determined that said petition is signed by not less than one fourth to wit, by one fourth and more in number of the qualified electors residing within the aforesaid new territory, as shown by the registration of voters of said Los Angeles County; and

WHEREAS, said new territory so proposed to be annexed to said City of Los Angeles does not form a part of any municipal corporation, and it appears that said new territory is inhabited, and that the occupants thereof are bona fide residents of said new territory; and

WHEREAS, said petition contained a request that the Council call a special election in said new territory, proposed by said petition to be annexed to said City of Los Angeles, and submit to the electors residing in said new territory the question whether such new territory shall be annexed to, incorporated in, and made a part of said City of Los Angeles, and also contained a request that the question to be submitted at such special election to the electors residing in said territory shall be whether such new territory shall be annexed to, incorporated in, and made a part of said City of Los Angeles, and the property therein be, after such annexation, subject to taxation, equally with the property within the said City of Los Angeles, to pay certain bonded indebtedness of said City outstanding at the date of such annexation, or thereto authorized, which said indebtedness is more particularly set forth and specified in said petition and hereinafter in this notice described; and

WHEREAS, on the 13th day of October, 1915, the Council of the City of Los Angeles passed an ordinance, designated as Ordinance No. 33165 (New Series), ordinances of said City, entitled "An Ordinance calling a special election to be held on the 18th day of November, 1915, in certain territory in the County of Los Angeles and contiguous to the City of Los Angeles, proposed to be annexed to said City of Los Angeles; providing for the holding of such election, and submitting to the electors residing in such territory the question whether such territory shall be annexed to, incorporated in, and made a part of said City of Los Angeles, and the property in such territory be, after

such annexation, subject to taxation, equally with the property within the City of Los Angeles, to pay certain bonded indebtedness of said City outstanding at the date of such annexation, or thereto authorized; designating said territory by the name of Occidental; establishing an election precinct, and the polling place in said territory; appointing the officers of election for said special election; and providing for the publication of notice of such special election;" which said ordinance was approved by the Mayor of said City on the 15th day of October, 1915;

NOW THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that in pursuance of the provisions of said Ordinance No. 33165 (New Series), ordinances of the City of Los Angeles, and in accordance with the provisions of an act of the Legislature of the State of California, entitled "An act to provide for the alteration of the boundaries of and for the annexation of territory to municipal corporations, for the incorporation of such annexed territory in and as a part thereof, and for the districting, governing municipal elections, and subject to taxation, equally with the property within said City of Los Angeles, hereinafter set forth and described, and any other subsequent bonded indebtedness of said City, outstanding at the date of such annexation, or indebtedness thereto authorized and to be represented by bonds of said City of Los Angeles thereafter to be issued.

That the improvements for which such indebtedness of said City of Los Angeles was so incurred or authorized, the amounts of such indebtedness, already incurred, outstanding at the date of the first publication of this notice, to wit, on Wednesday, October 20, 1915, and the amounts of such indebtedness of said City theretofore authorized, and to be represented by bonds hereafter to be issued, and the maximum rate of interest payable, or to be payable on such indebtedness are as follows:

"Water Works Bonds" authorized September 7, 1905, in the sum of \$1,500,000, for the purpose of acquiring lands, water rights, rights of way, and other property, and of constructing ditches, canals, tunnels and other water works necessary to provide the City of Los Angeles with a water supply in the Owens River Valley, and bearing interest at the rate of 4 per cent, per annum, of which bonded indebtedness the sum of \$1,162,500 was outstanding;

"Water Works Bonds" authorized June 12, 1907, in the sum of \$23,000,000, for the purpose of acquiring and constructing waterworks for supplying the inhabitants of the City of Los Angeles with water from the Owens River Valley, of which bonded indebtedness the sum of \$1,993,200, bearing interest at the rate of 4 per cent, per annum, and the sum of \$21,318,000, bearing interest at the rate of 4½ per cent, per annum, was outstanding;

"Electric Plant Bonds" authorized April 19, 1910, in the sum of \$3,500,000, for the purpose of acquiring and constructing works for generating and distributing electricity for the purpose of supplying the inhabitants of the City of Los Angeles with light, heat and power, and bearing interest at the rate of 4½ per cent, per annum, of which bonded indebtedness the whole amount was outstanding;

"Harbor Improvement Bonds" authorized April 19, 1910, in the sum of \$3,500,000, for the purpose of constructing docks, wharves and warehouses at Los Angeles Harbor, of opening, improving, constructing and maintaining streets and highways to the navigable waters of said harbor, the constructing and maintaining of canals and waterways, and the acquisition of the necessary lands for said improvements, and bearing interest at the rate of 4½ per cent, per annum, of which bonded indebtedness the sum of \$2,700,000 was outstanding;

"Water Works Bonds" authorized April 15, 1913, in the sum of \$1,500,000, for the purpose of acquiring and constructing works for conducting water of the Los Angeles Aqueduct supply from the end of the Los Angeles Aqueduct in the San Fernando Valley to the City of Los Angeles for the purpose of supplying said city and its inhabitants with water for domestic, irrigating and other uses, and to be known as the "Los Angeles City Trunk Line," and bearing interest at the rate of 4½ per cent, per annum, of which bonded indebtedness the sum of \$1,400,000 was outstanding;

"Harbor Improvement Bonds" authorized April 15, 1913, in the sum of \$2,500,000, for the purpose of constructing docks, wharves and warehouses at Los Angeles Harbor, of opening, improving, constructing and maintaining streets and highways to the navigable waters of said harbor, the constructing and maintaining of canals and waterways, and the acquisition of the necessary lands for said improvements, and bearing interest at the rate of 4½ per cent, per annum, of which bonded indebtedness the sum of \$2,370,000 was outstanding;

"Electric Plant Bonds" authorized May 8, 1914, in the sum of \$6,500,000, for the purpose of acquiring and constructing works for generating and distributing electricity for the purpose of supplying the inhabitants of the City of Los Angeles with light, heat and power, of which bonded indebtedness the sum of \$507,000, bearing interest at the rate of 4½ per cent, per annum, was outstanding, and the sum of \$5,993,000 is authorized and will be represented by bonds hereafter to be issued, and to bear interest at the maximum rate of 4½ per cent, per annum.

That the territory proposed to be annexed to said City of Los Angeles, and in which said special election has been called and will be held, as aforesaid, is situated in the County of Los Angeles, State of California, and is more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at the northwesterly corner of Lot 15 of the Northern portion of the Montezuma Tract, as per map recorded in Book 34, page 10 of Miscellaneous Records of Los Angeles County, said corner being an angle point in the present northerly boundary line of the City of Los Angeles; and also being an angle point in the present southerly boundary line of the City of Eagle Rock; thence in the general southerly, northwesterly, southwesterly, westerly and northwesterly directions, following the various courses and curves of the

present boundary line of the City of Los Angeles to its intersection with the easterly boundary line of the City of Tropic; thence in the general northerly, easterly and northerly directions, following the various courses of the boundary line of the City of Tropic to its intersection with the southerly boundary line of the City of Glendale; thence easterly, northerly and easterly, following the various courses of the boundary line of the City of Glendale to its intersection with the westerly boundary line of the City of Eagle Rock; thence in the general southerly, easterly and southerly directions, following the various courses of the boundary line of the City of Eagle Rock to the point of beginning.

That the said territory is hereby designated as Occidental, and said territory shall be referred to and indicated upon the ballots to be used at said special election as Occidental.

That upon the ballots to be used at said special election, in addition to the other matter required by law, there shall be printed the words: "Shall Occidental be annexed to The City of Los Angeles?—Yes", and

"Shall Occidental be annexed to The City of Los Angeles?—No", and there shall be a voting square to the right of and opposite each such proposition.

That the qualified electors residing in such territory so proposed to be annexed to said City of Los Angeles are hereby directed to vote upon the question of the annexation of said territory to said City by stamping a cross (X) in the voting square after the printed word "Yes", or by stamping a cross (X) in the voting square after the printed word "No". If an elector shall stamp a cross (X) in the voting square after the printed word "Yes", the vote of such elector shall be counted in favor of the annexation of said territory to the said City of Los Angeles; and if an elector shall stamp a cross (X) in the voting square after the printed word "No", the vote of such elector shall be counted against such annexation.

That for the purpose of holding said special election the territory hereinafter described, and proposed to be

annexed to The City of Los Angeles, has been established as one voting precinct, designated as

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and the boundaries of said election precinct are the boundaries of said new territory, as hereinbefore described, and proposed to be annexed to The City of Los Angeles, and are co-extensive therewith.

That the place at which the polls will be opened in said territory proposed to be annexed has been established and is hereby designated, and the officers of election have been appointed and are hereby designated, for said special election, as follows, to wit:

Polling Place: 1621 West Avenue 46. Judges: Mrs. Mabel T. Moll and Mrs. Anna B. Selkirk.

Inspector: Mr. Thomas L. Selkirk. The polls of said election will be opened at six o'clock A. M. of the day of said election, to wit, November 18, 1915, and must be kept open until seven o'clock P. M. of the same day, when the polls shall be closed, except as provided in Section 1164 of the Political Code of the State of California.

The ballots to be used at such special election, the opening and closing of the polls, and the holding and conducting of said special election shall be in conformity, as near as may be, with the laws of the State of California concerning general elections, except as otherwise provided herein and in that certain act of the Legislature of the State of California entitled "An act to provide for the alteration of the boundaries of and for the annexation of territory to municipal corporations, for the incorporation of such annexed territory in and as a part thereof, and for the districting, government and municipal control of such annexed territory," approved June 11, 1913, and all acts amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto.

Dated, office of City Clerk of The City of Los Angeles, October 20th, 1915.

CHAS. L. WILDE,

City Clerk of The City of Los Angeles.

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